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C O N F I D E N T I A L GENEVA 6387

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TAGS: ILO, PORG, ELAB, NO, JA

SUBJECT: ILO: PRESIDENCY OF MARITIME CONFERENCE

REF: (A) STATE 192093; (B) GENEVA 6371

1. JAPANESE MISSION HAS INFORMED WESTERN MISSIONS HERE OF JAPANESE DECISION TO WITHDRAW TSURUMI'S CANDIDACY AND HAS ELABORATED TO US THAT INTENTION IS TO WITHDRAW THE JAPANESE CANDIDACY AS SUCH. EC-9 WILL MEET AT PERMREP LEVEL AUGUST 11 IN ATTEMPT TO ESTABLISH COMMON POSITION ON CONFERENCE PRESIDENCY IN LIGHT OF THIS DEVELOPMENT. NETHERLANDS MISOFF WHO NOTIFIED US OF THIS SAID THAT OPINION AMONG EC-9 HERETOFORE HAD BEEN DIVIDED WITH SOME EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR TSURUMI AND OTHERS FOR HAREIDE. APPARENTLY CONSULTATIONS HAD NOT ADVANCE FAR ENOUGH TO MAKE IT FULLY CLEAR THERE DEFINITELY WAS NO SUPPORT HARBORED AMONG 9 FOR AN EASTERN CANDIDATE.

2. NETHERLANDS MIS OFF INDICATED AUGUST 11 CONSULTATIONS, WHICH NETHERLANDS WILL CHAIR, WILL BE CONCERNED ALSO WITH WISH TO HARMONIZE POSITIONS WITH THAT OF U.S. AND URGED US TO CONVEY TO NETHERLANDS PERMREP BY THEN ANY VIEWS U.S. WOULD WISH TO HAVE TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT IN EC-9 CONSIDERATIONS AT THIS STAGE. HE ANTICIPATED WHAT U.S. CONCERN AND EXPECTATION WOULD BE, ALONG LINES CLOSELY PARALLELING THOSE SET OUT IN  
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PARA 3 OF REF A, AND WE CONFIRMED THAT, WHILE WITHOUT PRECISE

GUIDANCE TO OFFER, THIS WOULD BE LOGICAL READING OF U.S.  
POSTURE.

3. SCHEDULING OF EC-9 CONSULTATION STEPS UP URGENCY OF  
MISSION RECEIVING FURTHER GUIDANCE REQUESTED REF B, AND BELIEVE  
DEPARTMENT SHOULD CONSIDER SPECIFICALLY WHAT POINTS WE MIGHT  
WISH TO FEED INTO EC-9 CONSULTATION. CATTO

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